

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

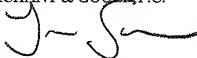
The Office Action mailed January 9, 2009, has been received and the Examiner's comments carefully reviewed. Claims 8-14 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 because the claimed invention is directed to non-statutory subject matter. The Applicants have amended independent claim 8 as suggested by the Examiner to overcome the rejection. Claim 19 has been amended to correct a typographical error by adding a "." after the last word "errors."

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, all pending claims are believed to be allowable and the application is in condition for allowance. Therefore, a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner have any further issues regarding this application, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney for the applicant at the telephone number provided below.

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